

# MATERIALS MANAGEMENT ADVISORY COMMITTEE

## Meeting Notice:

**Who:** Materials Management Advisory Committee

Open to the Public

**When:** Thursday, July 1, 2021 1:30 pm – 3:30 pm

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# *Statewide Materials Management Advisory Committee*

## **Meeting Agenda**

**July 1 2021 1:30 pm**

**Illinois Environmental Protection Agency**

**By Teleconference: (312) 535-8110**

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1. Introductions (5 minutes)
2. Approval of Past Minutes (5 minutes)
3. Motion to Include Recommendation to Conduct a Statewide Solid Waste Characterization (20 minutes)
4. Discussion of Report to the General Assembly (80 minutes)
  - a. Overview of changes from the post-June 22 meeting draft
  - b. Additional discussion items
5. Motion to Approve the MMAC Report and Transmit to the General Assembly (5 minutes)
6. Motion to Dissolve the MMAC (5 minutes)
7. Adjournment

Materials Management Advisory Committee

Meeting Agenda June 22, 2021

1. Introductions (5 minutes)

Committee members present: **Mummel, Griffith, Jarland, Pausma, Willis, Kaar, Monte, Cowhey, Holcomb, Disbrow, Sauve, Stone, Connell, Pai, Laird, Dyer, Westerfield, Murphy, McKeen**

IPEA employees present: **Jennings, Miller, Buis, Metz, Fry, Ferree, Foxworth, Jayne, Suthar**, Public: Savannah Fehrer, Liz Kunkle, Christina Siebert, Benjamin Krumstok, Paloma Campillo, Rose Naseef, Joy Scrogum

Committee members absent: Tazelaar, Rivas

2. Approval of Past Minutes (5 minutes) Willis motions to approve the minutes as written; Disbrow seconds the motion. The motion carries unanimously.

3. Discussion of Report to the General Assembly (100 minutes). If you have additional changes or comments, let Savanna (Shantanu's team) know.

- a. Overview of changes from the post-May meeting draft. Group discussion on changes to the draft report. The committee discussed providing language qualifying the use of the defined terms, clarifying the existing state of commodities markets, and citing additional sources.
- b. Discussion of funding language. Group discussion on changes made to language covering funding. Griffith suggests adding information on fluctuating budgets in relation to COVID from the most recent COFGA report. Pai led the group discussion on a proposal for a solid waste characterization suggested by the Measurement subcommittee. Pai explained that this would include waste site characterization every five years. The Committee will take a motion on this matter at its July 1 meeting.
- c. Discussion of EPR language (p16-18). Group discussion of EPR language included in the draft report. Willis and Griffith volunteer to craft workable language for the group.
- d. Discussion of language emphasizing importance of markets.
- e. Discussion of maps.

4. Motion to Approve the MMAC Report and Transmit to the General Assembly (5 minutes). A motion was not made.

5. Motion to Dissolve the MMAC (5 minutes). A motion was not made. The next meeting will be July 1 at 1:30

6. Adjournment: Pai motions to adjourn, Mummel seconds. The motion carries unanimously.

## **Motion to Adopt Recommendations to the General Assembly**

**Proposed Motion Language:** The Committee includes in its report to the General Assembly a recommendation that the General Assembly appropriate the Illinois EPA sufficient funds to conduct a statewide solid waste characterization at least once every five State Fiscal Years.

**Summary of the Issue:** The most recent statewide solid waste characterization was conducted in 2014, which serves as the only comprehensive publicly available resource to track waste compositions, generation, material recovery potential, and landfill diversion data. The absence of recent publicly available statewide data can impair the development of sound solid waste and materials management policy. Accordingly, the State of Illinois should also conduct a statewide solid waste characterization at least once every five years, as it did prior to 2014. Such a study should include, at a minimum, an analysis of the amount and composition of municipal solid waste generated in Illinois, diverted from Illinois landfills, and sent to Illinois landfills for disposal. This study should reflect these data statewide and by county consistent to methodologies in previous statewide studies. Other states have used this strategy to compile a wide range of materials management data and employed those data to render sound policy and program decisions. The data gleaned from this study will enable the state and individual counties to determine their respective generation and diversion rates in future years.

**General Assembly Plan Element(s) Addressed:** 415 ILCS 15/4.5(j)(1) through (3).

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### **Recordkeeping**

**Date of Consideration:** July 1, 2021

**Summary of Discussion:**

**Resolution:**

**Votes in Favor:**

**Votes in Dissent:**

**Abstentions:**

## **Motion to Adopt Recommendations to the General Assembly**

**Proposed Motion Language:** The Committee adopts the Materials Management Advisory Committee Report and requests the Illinois EPA submit it to the General Assembly.

**Summary of the Issue:** Public Act 101-0074 created the Materials Management Advisory Committee and tasked it with completing a report that includes the information set forth in Section 4.5(j) and (k) of the Solid Waste Planning and Recycling Act. The Committee has completed its work, which is summarized in a Report prepared for the General Assembly.

**General Assembly Plan Element(s) Addressed:** 415 ILCS 15/4.5(i).

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